# PLATT'S LETTER MAE WOOD SIGNED "LOVINGLY, TOM"

Woman Who Is Suing the Senior Senator for an Absolute Divorce Produces on Stand Missives He Sent Her.

"My little bride-to-be," wrote Senator Thomas Collier Platt to Mae Catharine Wood back in November, 1901, according to testimony given before Justice O'Gorman, in the Supreme Court, to-day by the plaintiff in the suit for divorce brought by Mae Catharine Wood-Platt against the senior Senator from the State of New York. She also testified that the Senator in writing to her making plans for their wedding called himself "an old fool" and signed himself, "Lovingly, Tom."

The long-deferred and widely heralded trial began with the opening of court to-day before an audience of politicians that packed the chamber. When the news that Mae Wood was reading Senator Platt's letters on the stand spread through the County Court-House there was a stampede in the direction of Justice O'Gorman's room that looked like a rush to a fire.

marriage as she alleges took was ever performed. The plaintiff in the suit has alleged that Abe eter Platt's political understrappers tained from her by force and duress various papers and documents which would establish the marriage without

Senator Platt, who is unable to walk. was not in the court-room when the case was called. He had been carried from his carriage to a wheeled chair and wheeled into his private office in the new United States Express building. No. 2 Rector street, at about the time the determined little woman who has

and Charles Le Barbier appeared for the plaintiff. There was great stretch-

## LOST CASH IN A BANK. FOUGHT FOR FURNITURE.

Small Riot in First Avenue Is Broken Up by Four Large Policemen.

Sagge's private bank from No. 2123 First evenue this afternoon there seemed to peared to be coming to win easily. rise out of the ground one thousand or more wild eyed little men, who for beaten," said one disgrantled Spooner beaten," said one disgrantled Spooner backer, and so on down the line went backer, and so on down the line went

Manshal Hochstader telephoned to Po- well into the stretch, when McDaniel lice Headquarters. Four men were sent sammed him through to the front, only from East One Hundred and Fourth is he disqualified. street and the hiot was quelled.

# KILLED WIFE: SHOT SELF





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WEATHER-Fair to-night: Tocaday re

YORK, MONDAY, MAY 18, 1908.

# RESULTS OF TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

FIFTH DAY AT BELMONT PARK.

# BY VINCENT TREANOR.

BELMONT PARK RACE TRACK, May 18.

Berkeley Bumps Wise Ones.

Jugsler won the Harlem Stakes, the feature here this afternoon, afcaused him so much trouble was taking ter running a remarkable race, only to be disqualified amid a mixture of A representative in court said that yells and jeers. McDaniel, who rode Juggler, rode a great race and took the Senator would not appear until it a desperate chance in getting to the front. He got there, however, mid-Stanchfield represented Senator Platt way down the stretch and won going away.

Shaw, who rode Grapple, made a claim of foul, and, after the stewof masculine necks when, right ards had questioned McDaniel and Garner, he got away with it.

after the case was opened. Mr. Le Barbier called his client as his first with twas no dashing beauty that as
It begins to look like that is the only on any track, but while old-timers were sitting back in wonder and agnazement trying to dope out what might be expected from the Keene youngsters the complained that he had to pull Grapple un just us he was about to 50 Grapple un just us he was about to 50 Grapple of 59 2-5, a creditable performance but not a recombinate and agnazement trying to dope out what might be expected from the Keene youngsters. When Marshall Sidney Hochstader margin at the head of the stretch. dispossessed what was left of Elisio At the time he had succeed and ap-

He complained that he had to pull Grapple un just us he was about to 50 upon the rail. The switch in numbers made it Grapple, Rye. Spooner. Some body made Spooner a favorite in the race and backed him as if he was "in."

Spooner lost, and after the race the bookles were stacking up their \$50,00 winnings in \$100 piles. Spooner lost, and after the race and the bookles were stacking up their \$50,00 winnings in \$100 piles. Spooner ran out while in the lead by a comfortable margin at the head of the stretch.

At the time he had succeeded in running the head off of Arasee and appeared to be coming "to win easily," What a wail went up when he ran out: "That's a new way to get a horse beaker, and so on down the line went the ugly comments, but that doesn't get the money, Juggler, who went to the post looking as if every step he took was painful, won easily, still in remarkable fashion. Last away from the post looking as if every step he took was painful, won easily, still in remarkable fashion. Last away from the post and last all the way to the turn for home, he looked a 50 to 1 shot until well into the stretch, when McDaniel jammed him through to the front, only to be disqualified.

Betting Rules Help Attendance.

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The change in the betting rules. WHEN POLICE APPEARED.

The change in the betting rules, kno king out the no-less than \$5 kno king out the no-less than \$5 kno king out the grand stand attendance here this afternoon. The betting ring was a busy spot. One could pick out the new arrivals from the field in the crowd that swarmed around the layers. The weather was perfect and Bower fired a shot into his own head. He will probably die.

BUNDAY WORLD WANTS

The change in the betting rules, kno king out the no-less than \$5 kno kin kno king out the no-less than \$5 wagers, swelled the grand stand at-

# BELMONT PARK RESULTS.

to 1) 1. Joe Madden (3 to 5 for

to 10 for place) 2, Lady Irma 3.

FOURTH RACE—Grapple (5 to 2 field to Seymour. Walked. Paskert out, Matty NO RUNS. Sixth Inning.

and 4 to 1) 1, Frizette (4 to 5 for

place) 2. Harcourt 3.

| Comparison of the compa

Batteries-Liebhardt and Bemis; Morgan and Carrigan. Umpire - Mo

# CINCINNATI 9 DETROIT 11, HIGHLANDERS 6

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President Herrmann, Secretary Knowles

Second Inning.

Doyle scoring, Tenney lined ONE RUN. hell doubled to right. Ganzel a Matty to Tenney. Mitchell to Bresnahan to Devlin, s tap. Paskert out. Devlin 7. NO RUNS.

Third Inning.

prounded to Faskert. Seymour grounded to Gangel. Bresnahan safe on Hulswitt's short throw. Bresnahan stole second. Devlin fanned. NO RUNS. HHulswitt fanned. Spaue tripled to right. Huggins doubled to lift, Spac scoring. Time was called to allow Brea nahan to caress a foul-battered finge, which, however, did not put him in the discard. Kans discard. Kane fanned. Lobe Bridwell to Tenney. ONE RUN.

Fourth Inning.

SECOND RACE—Gilding Belle (2 to 1 and 8 to 1) 1, Wild Pigeon (7 Shannon, THREE RUNS.

# Fifth Inning.

THIRD RACE—Berkeley (7 to and 5 to 2), 1; Rifleman (even for place), 2; Oxford 3.

Donlin flied to Hulswitt. Seymour rapped out a home run to right. Bresnahan flied to Mitchell. Deviln out, Lobert to Ganzel. ONE RUN.
Lobert fouled to Bresnahan. Mitchell flied to Seymour. Ganzel walked. Scalel walked. Scalel walked. Paskert out, Matty to Tenney. NO RUNS.

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and 4 to 5) 1, Rye (4 to 1 for place)
2, Spooner 3. Juggler won but was disqualified.

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FIFTH RACE—Dorante (6 to 5 and 3 to 1) 1, Big Chief (4 to 5 for place) 2, Jubilee 3.

Doyle fanned. Distinct fanned. Stannen walkst. Bridwell scoring. Shannon walkst. Tenney forced Mathewson, Hulswitt to Lobert. Donlin walked. First full seymour filed to Mitchell. CSE RUN. Hulswitt out. Bridwell to Tenney. Spade out, Devlin to Tenney. Huggins walked. Kane forced Huggins. Doyle to Bridwell. NO RUNS.

Seventh inning.

Bresnahan flied to Ganzel. Devlin out, Lobert to Ganzel. Doyle out, Spade to Ganzel. NO RUNS.

Batteries - Lafette and Vandegrift Wicker and Clark. Umpire-Mr. Mc

At Buffalo. Buffalo ...... 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 Batteries—Adkins and Hearne; Nowinkle and Archef. Umpire—Mr. Moran. At Toronto.

# BATTING ORDER.

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	Cincinnati.	New York.
	Huggins, 2b.,	Shannon, rf.,
	Kane, cf	Tenney, 1b.,
	Lobert, 3b.,	Donlin, If.,
	Mitchell, rf.,	Seymour, cf.,
	Ganzel, 1b.,	Bresnahan, c.,
	Schlei, c.,	Devlin, 3b.,
	Paskert, If.,	Doyle 2b.,
	Hulswitt, ss.,	Britwell, ss.,
	Spade, p.	Mathewson, p.
	Umpire, Mr. O'	Day

# BACCARAT MADE A GOUD MEAL OF SCHWAB'S TREE

# As the Horse Wasn't City Bred, Magistrate Let Him

months. He brought the noble animal to New York, and the first job he had RUNS.
was to-day, when his master drove up Doyle

Baccarat has been in the habit of

and 4 to 5) 1, Rye (4 to 1 for place)

2, Spooner 3. Juggler won but was

Doyle center. Bridwell scoring. Shannon walk st. ling with vigor and relish, and when Schaefer walked, whicheld to account with force and much land with force and much land with force and much land with wight of ling with vigor and relish, and when ling with vigor and relish, and when land with the second. Schaefer was safe on Niles's error and stole second. Schaefer took third as threatening to "fill with lead any dang" in the playhouse by drawing revolvers and Cruwford rolled out to Chase, unassisted. Schaefer scored on Cobb's fit to descend as the playhouse by drawing revolvers and Cruwford rolled out to Chase, unassisted. Schaefer scored on Cobb's fit to descend as many line when two others persons were also shot, created a stampade in the playhouse by drawing revolvers and Cruwford rolled out to Chase, unassisted. Schaefer scored on Cobb's fit to Hemphill. Rossman lined out to Stabil. Mullin threw out Doyle. Niles singled and took second as Mullin threw out Keeler. Downs made a bad throw of the audience and the exits were lamb to scount with force and much land took scond as Mullin threw out Keeler. Downs made a bad throw of the playhouse by drawing revolvers and Cruwford rolled out to Chase, unassisted. Schaefer scored on Cobb's fit to demptify the descend. Schaefer scored on Cobb's fit to Hemphill took scond as Mullin threw out Chase. ONE HUN. ling with vigor and relish, and when

"That being the case." said Magis-trate Cornell, "and considering the fact that there was no grating around the tree, I will dismiss this case, but you must teach that horse whose t

# AUTO TURNS SOMERSAULT. FIVE OCCUPANTS HURT.

(Special to The Evening World.)

STAMFORD, Conn., May 18.-While going forty-five miles-an-hour over sping forty-five miles-an-hour over Shippan Boulevard early to-day, a rear tire of Dr. E. Rowell, jr.'s 30-horse went up in the air and described a complete somersault. Dr. Rowell was driving the air and in it were George Billings and George Shields, members of the Stamford City police force, Arthur Stark and Reginald Martin, Shields and Billings were seriously injured. The Batterlesand Billings were seriously injured. The others escaped with a severe bruising.

The car was a complete wreck.

AMERICAN LEAGUE PARK, May matched against each other in the box McIntyre struck out and the crowd warrned up to the occasion as Schaefer took the same dose. Schaefer and Jen-

Second Inning.

Cobb slammed a drive to left field the fine for three bags, and he scored on cossman's single over short. Coughlin eat out a bunt. Rossman was forced third on Schmidt's bunt, Chesbro to enroy. O'Leary doubled, scoring foughlin and sending Schmidt to hird. Mullin singled, scoring Schmidt and O'Leary. McIntyre bounced a single off Chesbro's wrist. Schaefer hit or two bases, scoring Mullin. McIntyre scored on Crawford's fly to table. Cobb was hit by pitched ball, cossman singled and Schaefer crossed he plate. Cobb was out at third, table to Conroy. Umpire Hurst rejused to allow Schaefer's score to ount and Third Baseman Coughlin was referred out of the game for kcking.

# Fifth Inning

Rossman struck out. Downs flied to Niles. Schmidt flied to Hemphill. NO was to-day, when his master drove up in front of the Schwab house and went inside on business.

How Baccarat Enjoyed Himself.

RUNS.

Doyle walked, and came waltzing in as Niles smashed the ball to centre field for a home run. O'Leary threw out Keeler. Hemphill filed to M lot re. Chase fouled to Schmidt, TWO RUNS. S'xth Inning.

# Seventh Inning.

CHICAGO May 18.-Heavy rains last night and this morning niade impossible the last game of the series be-tween Donovan's Dodgers and the Cubs scheduled for to-day at West Side Park.

# NATIONAL LEAGUE.

# At Pittsburg.

Batteries—Richie and Dooin; Cam-nitz and Gibson. Umpires—Messrs, Rudderham and Klem.

18 .- A crowd of 8,000 was on hand to Niles, 2b. see the Tigers tackle the Hillton brig- Keeler, rf.. ..... 0 e again, and with Mullin and Chesbro Hemphill, cf..... 0 took the same dose. Schaefer and Jennings made a kick on the last strike and Umpire Hurst ordered the Detroit manager out of the grounds. Crawford filed to Stahl. NO RUNS.

Niles led off with a single, but was forced at second on Keeler's rap. Coughlin to Schaefer. Hemphill filed out to McIntyre. Keeler was out stealing second, Schmidt to O'Leary. NO RUNS.

\*Batted for Newton in the ninth

Left on Bases—Detroit, 6; Highlanders, 3.
Struck Out—By Chesbro, 2; Doyle, 4
Mullin, 1.
Home Runs—Niles, 1.
Three-Base Hits—Cobb.
Two-Base Hits—O'Leary, Schaefer
Stahl Ball, Crawford, Rossman.
Stolen Bases—Schaefer, 2; Crawford.
Double Plays—Kleinow to Chase t
Kleinow.
Hit by Pitcher—Cobb.

# THEATRE PANIC

Alleged Avengers of "Kid Twist" Murder Start Riot in the Gotham.

Baccarat has been in the habit of nibbling away at any old thing he sees that gives promise of gustatory delight, so when he found a nice elm sapling within six inches of his hose he moved up a peg or two and began be moved up a peg or two and began because of the same While the Gotham Theatre, in East May 10, when two others persons were

Bloomfield was also held. The rest got away.

Koomer, the police say, is known as "English Sam." He is reputed to have been one of the band headed by "Kid Twist," that made its headquarters in the East New York section.

The man whom the band arsulers was not seriously hurt, but he disappeared from police sight while the latter were battling with the disturbers. Saveral persons were jostled roughly in the struggle to get out of the theatre, but none applied for ambulance aid at the time.

## BATTLESHIP FLEET NOW HEADS FOR PUGET SOUND.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 18.-The Atantic battleship fleet, under command of Rear-Admiral Sperry, weighed anchor to-day and sailed out of San Francisco Bay in a drizzling rain for Puget Sound. The flagship Connecticut headed the column. The fleet is due to reach Puget Sound May 21.